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8   Title: RFID Transponder Dispenser & Authorizer

9                   **AMENDMENT TO RECONCILE SPECIFICATION**  
10                  **WITH CORRECTED DRAWINGS**

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19   Dear Sir:

20               This paper accompanies a Notice of Corrected Drawings and the corrected  
21   drawings themselves.  
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**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 4.

1                    **REMARKS REGARDING THE AMENDMENT TO THE DRAWING**

2                    To address the objections made by the official draftsman in the Notice  
3 Regarding Drawings mailed December 29, 2005, applicants herewith submit  
4 corrected drawings. More specifically, the official draftsman noted that the line  
5 quality was poor in Figures 1-15, impermissible solid black shading was used in  
6 Figures 2A through 3B, characters were of insufficient height in Figures 1-15, and  
7 figure labels were incorrectly placed in Figures 1, 7, 8, and 12.

8                    In addition to removing the solid black shading, to accommodate the  
9 changes needed to increase the character sizes and address the objections noted by  
10 the official draftsman, five of the flow diagrams were separated into sections  
11 and presented in sets of figures presented on separate sheets:

12                    Figure 1 is replaced by a set of figures including Figures 1A and 1B;

13                    Figure 5 is replaced by a set of figures including Figures 5A -5D;

14                    Figure 6 is replaced by a set of figures including Figures 6A - 6D;

15                    Figure 7 is replaced by a set of figures including Figures 7A and 7B; and

16                    Figure 8 is replaced by a set of figures including Figures 8A and 8B.

17                    Callouts including the reference number and figure designation are used to  
18 indicate the interrelationship between connected elements on separate sheets of  
19 drawings.

20                    Other than changes made to meet the requirements specified in the Notice,  
21 the only change to the drawings was changing reference number "140" to "1610"  
22 in Figure 5B to correct an inadvertent error and provide consistent numbering of  
23 the referenced element with identical elements in Figures 1A and 8A  
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